

BROKE IN HIS SKULL

Dr. David Laraway, the Veterinary,
Seriously Hurt.

CAPSIZED BY THE CAR TRACK

A Serious Runaway on South Division
Street, Which May Result in the
Death of Dr. Laraway.

Dr. David Laraway, the veterinary surgeon of No. 152 Thomas street, was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured in a runaway on South Division street at 6:30 last evening. His skull was fractured on the right side of the frontal bone and several ribs were broken. William O. Foote, the livery stable man, Wm. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy and two children were thrown from their carriage, but were not injured beyond a serious shaking up and many severe bruises.

Dr. Laraway and Mr. Foote were out driving for pleasure with one of the doctor's spirited horses. They were driving on Sycamore street and were turning into Division street when the wheel of the buggy caught in the car track in such a manner as to overturn the rig. Mr. Foote succeeded in landing on his feet, but Dr. Laraway's head struck the pavement with terrific force. He was caught by the carriage in such a manner that he was dragged a short distance and probably received the fracture of his ribs while under the buggy.

The horse ran south on Division street and collided with a carriage occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and children. They were thrown out but were not seriously hurt, and their carriage was wrecked. Dr. Laraway's rig collided with a hydrant and was caught near Fourth avenue.

Dr. Laraway was picked up and carried to the nearest house. Afterward the ambulance was called and removed him to his home on Thomas street. He was attended by Drs. Penwarden and Collins. He is 61 years old and is one of the best known veterinary surgeons in the city, having lived here the greater part of his life. The doctors were unable to tell how his injuries may result. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy were seen in their residence on South Ionia street after the accident. They say they did not hear the horse coming until it struck the rear of their carriage. The rig was completely overturned and they were all thrown on their faces on the pavement. Mr. Murphy received a severe contusion on the forehead and was bruised about the body. Mrs. Murphy received several severe bruises on her forehead and face, and the children were considerably bruised. They expressed themselves as thankful it was no worse, as the Laraway horse jumped completely over their rig and ran some distance before he was stopped.

City News in Brief.

Seth C. Robinson, a Kent county farmer, died Saturday at his home in Vergennes. He was 67 years old and lived in this county for nearly half a century. He was a relative of the famous Sir Robinson, one of the first settlers of the valley.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' association of Northern Kent will hold its annual reunion at Sparta August 16, 17 and 18. Colonel Smiley will speak August 17 and the Rev. Washington Gardner August 18.

Clemens Hagall, the little 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Hagall and a nephew of Assistant City Clerk Wurzburg, died at the family residence, No. 179 Fifth street, last evening.

The largest crowd of the season went to Ottawa Beach yesterday. Nine hundred and twenty tickets were sold and it took fourteen coaches to haul the crowd.

Franklin Jamieson & Co. received fourteen cases of lace from Glasgow Saturday, and the consular certificate from the signature of Judge Allen R. Moore.

The Kent County W. C. T. U. will hold its annual picnic at North Park Thursday. Myron H. Walker will deliver an address.

A well patronized excursion was run over the G. R. & L. railroad to Rome City Saturday from way stations from Fisher to Stargis.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. C. E. Edgcomb of the Boston store will left for New York and Boston yesterday to buy the fall stock of millinery.

Channery Guest and family will leave for Chicago in a few days. Miss Anna K. Wilson will accompany them.

Miss Alice McDoe and Miss Matt Quinn will leave tomorrow to spend a week at the world's fair.

Miss McDonald, Ella Jacoby and Gertrude Yonell have gone to Chicago. Miss Minnie Manberich is in Chicago.

New Converts Attract Attention.

A large crowd than usual attended the open air meeting of the Salvation army in Campion place last evening. The attraction seemed to be several new converts who were hurrying their first javelins at the ranks of the army. As the little band of soldiers sang and prayed these converts would step forward and make their speeches to the assembled spectators, telling of the peace in their souls since they came to Jesus and urging their hearers to follow their example. The army has made several conversions within the past week.

Justice Brown Draws Complaints.

Justice Brown sat sweating over a criminal complaint a few days ago when an attorney entered and asked him why he did not send such work to the clerk of the court. The justice replied that he had sent to the clerk, and it was returned to him. There seems to be a little trouble in the court touching the duties of the clerk, but Justice Brown is too good natured to cause any trouble, and the clerk is still new at the business so that an allowance is made for mistakes made by him.

Liquor Dealers Will Meet Here.

It is probable that the annual meeting of the State Liquor Dealers' association will be held in this city instead of Jackson, as originally intended. Robert DeWitt of Saginaw, the president of the association, is now out of the state, but the vice president expects to attend the meeting in Grand Rapids. It is expected that 125 delegates will be present. The purpose of the meeting will be the principal topic for discussion.

The veteran corps of the Innkeepers and Caterers were among the excursionists. The party returned about 11 o'clock last night. Several hundred persons went to Ottawa Beach on the C. & W. M. excursion yesterday and spent the day at the pretty little resort.

Lumber Damaged by Fire.

Fire caught in a pile of lumber on Canal street belonging to the Grand Rapids Chair company about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. An alarm was turned in from box No. 16, and the department quenched the blaze. There was about 400,000 feet of lumber in the pile, and it was damaged to the extent of \$500. Fully insured.

SMITH'S OPENING.

Manager Smith's classic features were bewitched with pleasure last evening. That winning smile which has made his presence a flood of sunshine in the theatrical world was broken into a hundred edifying ripples of quiet satisfaction. It was his opening night, and the horse-shoe circles of chairs which had been unoccupied for weeks, were occupied by a bright and enthusiastic audience. The scene was enough to cheer anybody's prospects, and Manager Smith's Monte Christo demeanor was fully justified.

The house has been renovated throughout. The ceilings, side walls and balcony and proscenium arches have been brightened with new colors, and the old gas fixtures have given way to new circles of incandescent electric lights. The two new boxes are miniature Turkish pagodas, richly draped with lace and silk chenille. Under the glare of the new lights the house is a blaze of refuges. It is one of the cheeriest theaters in the state, and with its improved ventilation, one of the most comfortable.

The opening bill was the production of Harry Wood's fertile brain. During the summer he has brushed up his ideas and the result was apparent in the dash and jingle of last night's performance. "Daughters of Satan," a musical burlesque on Fra Diavolo, the prelude, is a cleverly arranged introductory piece. The heavier lines are tuned down to meet the froth of the comedy parts, so that it is evenly balanced and fetching. The stock company is assigned to the easily mastered parts, and a very pretty performance, tuneful and sprightly, is given.

In the olio, Kitty Burke, familiarly known as "The Irish Thrush," introduced several Irish songs. She was suffering from nervousness last evening and did not inject her accustomed life and energy into her work.

Barrett brothers in a somewhat antiquated sketch succeeded in bringing a thunder of applause from the gallery. They responded to three encores. Lulu Eiler, a beautiful young woman, made the hit of the evening. She costumed a pretty song and dance in admirable taste. Her refinement in the three specialties presented won for her the admiration of the big audience.

Carmen Boshell and Billy Jackson have a serio-ludicrous sketch. The contrast between a swashbuckler and a burlesque comedian is too much for one's risibility, and one laughs, not at the funniness of the comedian, but at the disgusting absurdity of the situation. Perhaps that is the motive. At any rate, Carmen Boshell is a refined artist, a superb singer and her husband a clever comedian. They ought to produce something more creditable to their ability.

Ethel Gray, a popular favorite, appears in a budget of new songs. Mabel Hazlett, a dashing blonde with a bewildering lip, dances as prettily and liss as amusingly as she did when here before. Allen and Mack have a rollicking skit, and Ned and Eva Thatcher, Lillie Morris, Mabel Ross, W. A. Howard and All the Time-Pratt Harry Wood, complete the roster. The house will be opened every night and Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons during the season.

"The Actor's Holiday" was given to a fair audience in The Grand last evening. Thompson and Bloom are the life of the merry party of comedians. Tonight and all the week the new success will be given in The Grand.

Cleveland's minstrels with the quadrille dancers will be seen in The Powers' Saturday evening. Queer combination? Umph!

Ringside's great circus is due here two weeks from today.

HOTEL CHATS.

Abul del Kafri, a wealthy Cairo merchant, was guest in The Morton yesterday. He has been visiting the world's fair and passed through Grand Rapids on his way north. The swarthy son of the house of Kafri is a tall, well developed specimen of the Arab race. He dresses in the conventional American costume, and speaks both English and French fluently. For a foreigner and a resident of Egypt, at that, he is remarkably well informed concerning America and the American people. He is a walking encyclopedia of the world's fair and a sort of morocco-bound hand-book of contemporary history. "I have been in Chicago four weeks," said the bland Abul with a smile. "They tell me that to see Chicago is to see America, but I want to verify the statement and see for myself. The cities of the United States are wonderful. They haven't the superb architecture of the European cities, but they are so much cleaner and more progressive. Everything is on a grand scale in this country. Your buildings are like great towers. Your business houses handle immense amounts of money and everybody seems happy and prosperous. But you are always in a hurry. That seems strange to me. You always act as if you didn't have time enough to live and wanted to get through with life as soon as possible. You don't even have time enough to pray. That seems strange to a Moslem, but perhaps it seems as strange to you that we pay any attention to prayers when there is any business to be done."

The Cairo merchant discussed the present political condition of Egypt fluently and intelligently. "We really have no government of our own," said he. "England is the power behind the khedive and whatever England demands must be done. There is a crisis now, but it will pass off in a little while. No longer as the power of the British empire lies behind that of our own executive there is not much danger of any serious trouble. The inhabitants of Cairo and Alexandria have great respect for the strength and prowess of the English nation, and they have confidence in it, too."

Commercially it is far better that Egypt be under the protection of the English. We might be under France, you know, and that would be worse. Egypt has had a stormy political career since the earliest records of history. The rulers have all been tyrants and the people wretched. This is in keeping with our laws and our traditions, but the intrigues and short comings of the monarchs have wrought ruin to scores of dynasties. Still we are a great people, with a great history. I am an Arab, but have lived in Egypt most of my life, and I take a pride in the grandeur of its history and its wonderful fertility and native resources." Abul del Kafri apparently has only one bad habit. He smokes villainous Egyptian cigarettes, and lights a new one from the stub of the one he has finished smoking. He will leave this morning for Mackinac.

C. W. Williams, the well-known horseman, who has been a guest at Sweet's for the past week, has gone to Chicago. Fails, the Allerton filly that won the year-old stakes, has been sent to Terra Haute, where she will race this week. Ferron, the other Allerton colt, was sent home to Independence. Both are entered in the Independence races. Mr. Williams was well pleased with the race at Comstock park and with his treatment by the driving club. He will probably make entries in next year's races if the club holds a meeting.

William D. Gordon of Midland was among the arrivals in Sweet's last night.

YESTERDAY'S HALL GAMES.

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Batteries—McGill and Lang; King and Vaughn. Umpire—Caruthers.

The town of Nava, state of Coahuila, is said to have been captured by the Cardenas party.

Died.

HUXOLL—Last evening at the residence, No. 170 Fifth street, Clemens Huxoll, aged 8, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Huxoll. Funeral announcement later.

E. G. Cherryman, funeral director, No. 29 Fountain street. Telephone 1,000.

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OBJECT TO SLURS.

Reed's Lake Resort Owners Resent an Imputation Put Upon Them.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD—In your Sunday edition we noticed a card signed by J. A. Smith, E. A. Stow and E. J. Herrick, which contains a slur upon Reed's lake resorts, of which we are, and we think Grand Rapids is, justly proud. A quotation from the card referred to reads as follows: "We understood that the liquor dealers and a few others have raised a purse of \$150 for the purpose of holding an alleged grocers' picnic on the same day." August 17. Now we are sure that not one of the liquor dealers at Reed's lake but is too much of a gentleman to resort to such untruthful statements as the one quoted above. By reference to the letter of the Reed's lake business men published in Sunday's paper, it will be seen that very few of the liquor men are contributors to that alleged fund, and the perusal of the same will show that the Reed's lake celebration is only for those who don't care to spend the money and time to go to Ottawa Beach—and notwithstanding the statement of the three gentlemen mentioned there are many.

As to the liberality of the railway, people, they do run excursions to Ottawa Beach for 50 cents. They charge the grocers 75 cents for their trip, kindly giving them back 25 cents on each ticket to be laid by as a surplus. The Reed's Lake people have no quarrel either with these gentlemen or the Ottawa beach resorts, but seriously object to being slurred by the trio before mentioned. The grocers have frequently gone to Reed's lake on their annual picnics and have been well entertained. On such days North park offered a strong bill and got a good share of the patronage of the citizens, and we never presumed to object.

It seems a pity that the committee of the Grocers' association should have to fall back upon deliberate misstatements in order to seek to popularize their unpopular action in selecting a distant resort for their picnic instead of a nearby one, where the masses can so thoroughly enjoy themselves at a trifling expense. But it is also gratifying to receive assurances such as have come to us unsolicited from reliable sources, that the attendance at Reed's lake on this holiday will equal, if it does not excel, that of any similar occasion, and the public may feel well assured that no effort will be omitted to make the day a conspicuous one in the history of the resort by reason of the attractions which will be offered.

REED'S LAKE BUSINESS MEN.

Last week—1/4 off—at Stauffer's.

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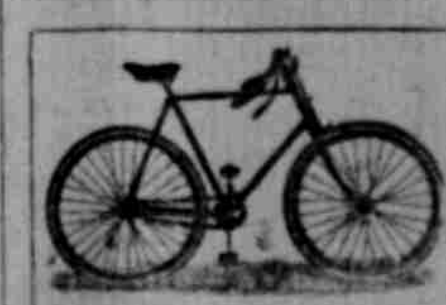
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